

**PATENT**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

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Sarvar Patel

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Serial No.: 10/824,216

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For: METHOD OF GENERATING A PUBLIC  
LONG CODE MASK

Conf. No. 6278

Examiner: R. Kangarloo

Group Art Unit: 4177

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Customer No. 46290

**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED OCTOBER 17, 2007**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), Applicants petition for an extension of time of up to one (1) month to and including February 17, 2008 in which to respond to the Office Action dated October 17, 2007

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to deduct the fee under 37 CFR § 1.17(e) in the amount of \$120.00 from WILLIAMS, MORGAN & AMERSON'S P.C. Deposit Account 50-0786/2100.004700 and any other fees which may be required under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 to 1.21.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.

Reconsideration of the application is respectfully requested.